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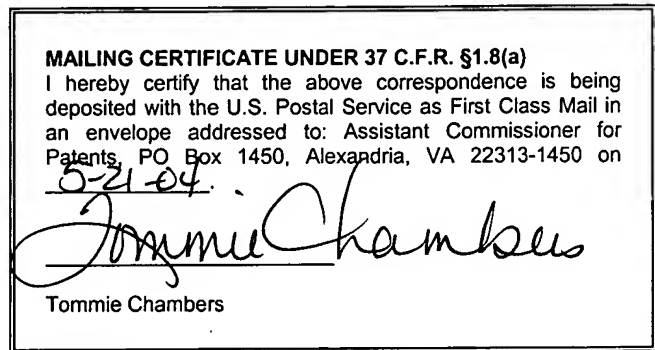
Applicant: Teterud
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For: PREAMP PINOUT TO ACCOMMODATE MULTIPLE R/W HEAD STYLES FOR FLIP
CHIP HDD SYSTEMS

EXTENSION OF TIME

Assistant Commissioner For Patents
Washington, DC 20231



Dear Sir:

Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.136(a), Applicant(s) respectfully petition(s) the Commissioner for an extension of the shortened statutory period for response in the above identified Application.

The fee for this extension is indicated below:

<input type="checkbox"/> One Month (\$110)	<input type="checkbox"/> Three Months (\$890)
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Two Months (\$390)	<input type="checkbox"/> Four Months (\$1,390)

Any further necessary extension of time is hereby requested. Charge any and all fees, or credit any overpayment, to the deposit account of Texas Instruments Incorporated, Account No. 20-0668. **This form is submitted in duplicate.**

Respectfully submitted,

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